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1. PARAGUAY HAS NO PLANS TO ESTABLISH NEW MILITARY SCHOOLS WHICH MIGHT REPLACE U.S. SCHOOLS SUCH AS THE US ARMY SCHOOL OF THE AMERICAS. THE PARAGUAYAN MILITARY STRONGLY PREFERS U.S. TRAINING, EITHER IN PANAMA OR THE U.S. BECAUSE IT FEELS IT GETS BETTER TRAINING AT LOWER COST.

2. NO PRECISE FIGURES ARE AVAILABLE BUT APPROXIMATELY 150 PARAGUAYAN MILITARY STUDENTS ARE TRAINED ABROAD EACH YEAR. THEY DO NOT GO ABROAD FOR FULL-FLEDGED ACTIVE DUTY. ABOUT 110 RECEIVE THEIR TRAINING UNDER U.S. PROGRAMS. ARGENTINA, BRAZIL AND CHILE ARE THE MAIN ADDITIONAL RECIPIENTS OF PARAGUAYN STUDENTS WITH SMALLER NUMBERS GOING TO THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA, WEST GERMANY AND SOUTH AFRICA.
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